

pipeline and Minnegasco and has no plans to seek for additional municipal customers for the service of this pipeline. I would also remind senators that under the terms of LB 851, any service tap must receive approval of the Lincoln City Council, as that body regulating the pipeline. It is inherently difficult to determine appropriate statutory language to restrict service off the pipeline. The foregoing statement is for the purpose of sharing those concerns that Minnegasco intent is limited to and that it's not...does not have a hidden agenda based on this legislation. With that, I would withdraw the pending motion and ask that the bill be read.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. It is withdrawn. Members, return to your seats in order to read the bill. While waiting for members to return to their seats, Senator Beck announces some guests in our south balcony, 83 eighth graders from St. Pius and St. Leo's in Omaha with their teacher. Would you people please wave and be recognized. Thank you, glad to have you with us this morning. Members are to be in their seats during Final Reading, our rules. Mr. Clerk, read the bill.

CLERK: (Read LB 851 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 851 pass? Those in favor of that motion please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote. See pages 1931-32 of the Legislative Journal.) 45 ayes, 1 nay, 1 present and not voting, 2 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 851 passes. LB 855.

CLERK: (Read LB 855 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 855 pass? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

CLERK: (Read record vote. See pages 1932-33 of the Legislative Journal.) 38 ayes, 4 nays, 4 present and not voting, 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.